

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2015 – 16: PUPIL SUMMARY

How can we improve our achievements?	How can we become better young people?	What will our teachers do to help us?	How will the senior leaders improve our school?	How will our school building be improved?
This is what we intend to do ...				
Your teachers will have training in how to follow your progress. We will also tell your parents about how we check that you are working as best you can. We will also look at your end of year school report and see how we can improve the information we give to your parents about how well you are doing in school.	Mrs Vallance will be leading a project to work more closely with your parents and carers.	We know that you like to work with topics so we will arrange the curriculum into 9 week topics so you can spend longer on each developing the skills you've learned and we will check the quality of your work by looking at your books and talking with you.	Miss Meekley, Mrs Vallance, Mrs Iqbal and Miss Harrison will be regularly watching your lessons to check that they are the best they can be. You will see us sitting in your lessons and we want to talk to you about your work.	We will replace the carpets in Y5 and Year 6 classrooms.
Year 3 classes and groups of pupils in other year groups will have special lessons to help their reading and spelling skills as well as having an enrichment programme to support their learning.	We will ask their opinions on all aspects of school life.	Teachers will check the curriculum carefully to make sure we don't miss anything out.	Teachers will continue to learn more about how children learn in lessons, by attending different courses especially in English and maths.	We will buy more playground equipment so that we can use different equipment in different zones.
Your teachers will learn about the new changes to the 2016 Y2 and Y6 summer tests and prepare you well for these.	We will develop our parent council to talk about what would help parents to find out more about your life at school.	We will check that you are learning the right skills at the right time!	Y4 will continue our link with St John's school in Longsight to see how a different school with different cultures operates.	We will buy new sheds for the outdoor area in Foundation Stage (autumn) and spend time and money developing this external resource (spring 2016).
Your Y6 teacher will estimate your results in Maths and English to help you prepare for secondary school.	We will offer your parents some help in dealing with difficult times at home with the family.	We will help you develop skills to choose how you will record your work especially with iPads.	We will link with other schools to find out new ideas and help us to improve your education and your opportunities.	Mr Henderson and the cleaning team will make sure your classrooms and cloakrooms are cleaned every day.
Your teachers will check how well you are doing in lessons on a regular basis and especially look out for those pupils who are stuck or improving more slowly than we think they should.	We will continue to give children their rights and expect them to be responsible in our community.	We will develop the playground and zone it so that you have a choice of activity at lunchtime.	We will tell our Governors regularly about how we are spending money and why.	
We are going to improve the way we use iPads in school to make lessons more interesting and develop cross curricular work.	We think it's a good idea for your parents to learn more about safety when using the internet. You can help them with this.	We are going to buy more books for UKS2 pupils and more guided reading texts.	We will compare how we spend our money with other schools.	
We want to help you to improve your writing skills so we will develop writing through drama with Mr Kennedy.				